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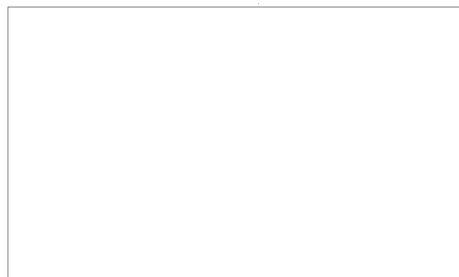
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1.  the Polish Minister of Mines receives a salary of 4,500 zloty per month, a departmental director at the Ministry 4,000 zloty per month, an inspector of mines 3,000 zloty per month and members of the clerical staff in the Ministry 1,500-3,000 zloty per month. All the directors of the large Polish coal mines were Poles, but at a large mine near Stalinogrod (Katowice - N50-16, E19-01) there were still two Soviet engineers. 25X1
2.  Poland was technically ahead of the other satellites in most branches of industry except light industry. 25X1
3.  the Russians were either unwilling or unable to remedy the shortage of deep-mining machinery in Poland for mines deeper than 500 meters. One fifth of Polish coal exports were going to the Soviet Union. 25X1
4.  the Ursus factory at Czechowice (N49-53, E19-01) was now producing repair trucks in addition to tractors, and that 2½-ton trucks were being produced at the motorcycle factory at Warsaw-Ostrowiec. 25X1



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